

General Assembly

Raised Bill No. 6660

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LCO No. 3625

Referred to Committee on Judiciary

Introduced by: (JUD)

AN ACT CONCERNING AIR BAG FRAUD.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- 1 Section 1. (NEW) Any person who knowingly installs, reinstalls,
- distributes or sells any previously deployed air bag as part of a vehicle
- 3 inflatable restraint system shall be fined not more than five thousand
- 4 dollars or imprisoned not more than one year or both.
- 5 Sec. 2. (NEW) Any person who knowingly installs, reinstalls,
- 6 distributes or sells for the purpose of installation or reinstallation, any
- 7 object in lieu of a new air bag that is appropriate for the make, model
- 8 and year of a vehicle as part of a vehicle inflatable restraint system
- 9 shall be fined not more than five thousand dollars or imprisoned not
- 10 more than one year or both.

Statement of Purpose:

To prohibit installation or reinstallation or distribution or sale of any previously deployed air bag, or any object in lieu of a new air bag appropriate for the make, model and year of the vehicle, as part of a vehicle inflatable restraint system.

[Proposed deletions are enclosed in brackets. Proposed additions are indicated by underline, except that when the entire text of a bill or resolution or a section of a bill or resolution is new, it is not underlined.]